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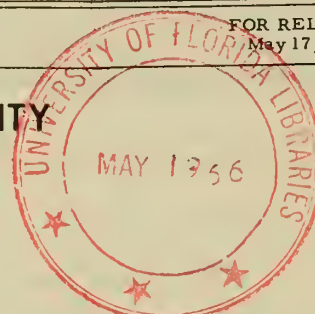
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EXPORT TRADE BY COMMODITY



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The Bureau of the Census, Department of Commerce, announced today that U.S. exports of domestic merchandise, unadjusted for seasonal change,¹ were \$2,778.4 million in March 1966. The total reported for February 1966 was \$2,264.0 million.²

The rise reflected increases in all of the individual Schedule B commodity sections. The Schedule B sections showing the more

¹See the March 1966 issue of Report FT 900-E for seasonally adjusted figures on total exports, excluding Department of Defense Military Assistance Program--Grant-Aid shipments. Seasonally adjusted figures are not available on exports of domestic merchandise or on a commodity basis.

²Month-to-month changes in exports and similar series often reflect primarily irregular movements. Cumulations of data over 3 or 4 month periods are desirable to identify underlying trends.

notable increases and accounting for the bulk of the overall increase from February to March were machinery and transport equipment; food and live animals; manufactured goods classified chiefly by materials; chemicals; and miscellaneous manufactured articles.

Leading commodities or groups of commodities contributing to the overall increase in U.S. exports during the period were automobiles and other road motor vehicles and parts; construction, excavating, mining and related machinery and parts; complete commercial aircraft; wheel type tracklaying tractors; electric power apparatus and switchgear; office machinery and computers; wheat; corn; copper and alloys--blister, refined, and mill shapes; organic chemicals; and scientific, medical, optical, photographic, and measuring and controlling instruments.

EXPLANATION OF STATISTICS

COVERAGE: Export statistics include government as well as nongovernment shipments to foreign countries. The export statistics, therefore, include Department of Defense Military Assistance Program--Grant-Aid shipments (for which separate figures are shown in the footnotes of this report), Mutual Security Program economic assistance shipments, and shipments of agricultural commodities under P.L. 480 (The Trade Development and Assistance Act of 1954, as amended) and related laws. (The separate information which is available on exports under P.L. 480 and related laws may be obtained from the Economic Research Service and the Foreign Agricultural Service of the Department of Agriculture.) Shipments to U.S. armed forces and diplomatic missions abroad for their own use are excluded from the export statistics. U.S. trade with Puerto Rico and U.S. possessions is not included in this report, but the export trade of Puerto Rico with foreign countries is included as a part of the U.S. export trade. Merchandise shipped in transit through the United States between foreign countries, not entered as imports, is not included in the export statistics.

VALUATION: The valuation definition used in the export statistics is the value at the seaport, border point, or airport of exportation. It is based on the selling price (or cost if not sold) and includes inland freight, insurance, and other charges to the port of exportation. Transportation and other costs beyond the United States port of exportation are excluded. None of the values have been adjusted for changes in price level.

RELIABILITY: The statistics presented in this report are based partly on sample data and therefore are subject to sampling variation that may cause them to differ somewhat from the results which would have been obtained from processing all export documents. For the figures shown in this report the sampling variability can be ignored since the probable variability due to sampling is either less than \$50,000 (the largest variation from rounding of figures) or less than a trivial percentage of the individual totals shown. In addition to the effects of sampling variation, the data in this report are subject to errors from such sources as the carry-over of data from month to month, errors in reporting or processing, the estimation of shipments valued under \$100 (estimated data for such shipments are included in the over-all export total and in the totals for "Commodities and transactions not classified according to kind" and "Low-value" shipments, but excluded from other totals), and the omission of low-value parcel post shipments. Although the effect of such errors on the rounded totals in this report is probably small, the possibility of inaccuracy should be taken into account, particularly in using figures of relatively small magnitude.

Further information regarding coverage, valuation, compilation procedures and precision of export data is contained in the foreword of Reports FT 410 and FT 420. For complete statement, see foreword in Foreign Commerce and Navigation of the United States.

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U.S. EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE BY SELECTED SCHEDULE B COMMODITY GROUPINGS AND PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES

MARCH 1966 AND SELECTED PERIODS

(Quantity in units indicated; value in millions of dollars. Data revised to reflect all corrections published with statistics through those for December 1965. Consult Explanation of Statistics on front page of this report for information on valuation, coverage, and other definitions, the handling of low value shipments and sampling variability. Totals represent sum of unrounded figures, hence may vary slightly from sum of rounded amounts)

Commodity description and unit of quantity ¹	1966*			1965*		
	March	February	Jan.-Mar.	March	February	Jan.-Mar.
PART I—Summary Totals						
Domestic and foreign merchandise, excluding Special Category commodities ²value..	2,726.2	2,179.9	6,997.2	2,848.4	1,518.4	5,547.4
Special Category commodities ²value..	91.7	117.6	250.8	125.1	79.7	271.6
Domestic and foreign merchandise, including Special Category commodities ²value..	2,817.9	2,297.5	7,247.9	2,973.5	1,598.1	5,819.0
Military Assistance Program—Grant-Aid shipments.....value..	70.9	87.2	158.1	82.4	84.4	226.0
Domestic and foreign merchandise, excluding Military Assistance Program—Grant-Aid shipments.....value..	2,747.0	2,210.3	7,089.8	2,891.1	1,513.7	5,592.9
Domestic merchandise, including Special Category commodities ²value..	2,778.4	2,264.0	7,147.7	2,941.5	1,575.6	5,747.8
PART II—Exports of Domestic Merchandise by Selected Schedule B Commodity Groupings and Principal Commodities						
Food and live animals.....value..	442.2	360.5	1,140.2	437.1	212.1	779.6
Meat and preparations (including poultry).....1,000 lb..	4,256.9	3,508.8	11,929.8	6,800.5	3,273.1	11,723.2
value..	13.8	11.4	38.9	19.1	10.2	34.4
Dairy products and eggs.....value..	18.0	8.8	41.5	18.4	12.2	41.1
Grains and cereal preparations.....value..	317.6	251.2	796.7	298.7	125.9	496.2
Wheat and wheat flour.....value..	150.9	118.3	367.0	128.2	43.7	210.5
Wheat (unmilled).....1,000 bu..	8,795.5	6,863.0	21,316.0	7,090.2	2,258.6	11,320.1
value..	142.7	110.1	344.1	120.2	38.6	193.4
Wheat flour.....1,000 cwt..	209.1	205.7	567.9	203.3	132.0	447.1
value..	8.2	8.1	22.9	8.0	5.1	17.1
Barley, corn, grain sorghums, rye, and oats, unmilled.....value..	140.2	110.5	349.0	124.7	68.7	210.4
Barley, unmilled.....1,000 bu..	428.2	614.3	1,446.8	223.7	247.7	591.9
value..	5.8	8.1	19.2	2.7	3.0	7.3
Corn, unmilled.....value..	99.3	73.2	239.5	99.4	58.0	168.6
Grain sorghums.....1,000 bu..	2,826.0	2,323.7	7,300.5	1,783.4	599.9	2,744.9
value..	34.4	28.7	88.9	22.3	7.6	34.4
Rice.....1,000,000 lb..	234	207	777	542	143	881
value..	16.8	15.2	56.9	37.9	9.8	61.7
Fruits, nuts, and vegetables, except oil nuts.....value..	39.5	39.0	114.6	40.9	30.7	96.2
Animal feeds (excluding unmilled cereals).....value..	28.6	29.2	85.4	36.8	17.1	60.0
Beverages and tobacco.....value..	44.3	35.4	116.6	46.5	13.0	66.3
Tobacco, unmanufactured.....1,000 lb..	3,928.5	2,952.5	10,078.0	4,396.6	702.5	5,697.5
value..	31.7	23.8	83.9	32.6	5.9	41.8
Cigarettes and other tobacco manufactures.....value..	11.4	10.6	29.9	13.0	6.5	22.8
Cigarettes.....1,000,000..	219.0	201.9	572.4	233.3	132.9	438.0
value..	10.0	9.2	26.2	10.6	6.0	19.8
Crude materials, inedible, except fuels.....value..	254.7	234.5	720.8	332.7	157.8	619.1
Hides and skins (except fur skins), undressed.....value..	15.6	13.8	39.1	9.2	5.1	18.9
Soybeans, except canned or prepared.....1,000 bu..	2,155.6	1,708.1	5,822.0	2,495.8	1,132.9	3,915.9
value..	63.7	48.9	167.2	77.0	34.6	119.9
Synthetic rubber.....1,000 lb..	6,720.8	6,700.6	18,642.1	6,923.8	2,009.0	11,286.3
value..	16.0	15.1	41	18.1	5.4	31.2

See footnotes at end of table.

U.S. EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE BY SELECTED SCHEDULE B COMMODITY GROUPINGS AND PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES

MARCH 1966 AND SELECTED PERIODS—Continued

Commodity description and unit of quantity ¹	1966*			1965*		
	March	February	Jan.-March	March	February	Jan.-March
Crude materials, inedible, except fuels—Continued						
Logs and lumber.....value..	22.0	21.2	64.2	21.9	15.5	53.9
Paper based stocks (pulpwood, wood pulp, etc.).....value..	20.3	19.8	59.3	27.0	11.5	49.6
Wood pulp.....1,000 s. ton..	125	126	380	176	76	324
.....value..	17.5	17.3	51.8	24.1	9.9	43.4
Cotton, raw, excluding linters and waste.....1,000 bales..	236	254	768	584	181	1,009
.....value..	29.4	30.9	95.8	75.0	24.6	132.8
Metal ores, concentrates and scrap.....value..	32.6	29.6	86.2	48.2	24.8	92.3
Iron ore and concentrates.....1,000 s. ton..	457	444	1,209	219	219	593
.....value..	4.6	4.4	12.0	2.1	1.9	5.5
Iron and steel scrap (excluding tin circles).....1,000 s. ton..	342	419	1,108	770	344	1,396
.....value..	10.1	12.5	32.6	24.8	11.9	47.4
Nonferrous metal ores and scrap (excluding uranium) ³value..	18.0	12.7	41.5	21.3	11.0	39.4
Mineral fuels, lubricants, and related materials ...value..	78.2	68.5	210.9	75.0	53.7	181.1
Coal and related products (coke, lignite, and related products).....1,000 s. ton..	3,641	3,325	9,955	3,163	2,762	8,239
.....value..	36.2	33.4	99.9	31.3	27.0	81.3
Anthracite and bituminous coal.....1,000 s. ton..	3,562	3,250	9,722	3,083	2,698	8,030
.....value..	34.6	31.7	94.8	29.9	25.8	77.7
Petroleum and products.....value..	36.7	31.7	96.8	40.9	25.1	92.8
Fuel oil, distillate.....1,000 bbl..	509	662	1,355	543	203	1,221
.....value..	1.8	2.4	4.8	2.0	0.9	4.5
Fuel oil, residual.....1,000 bbl..	1,858	1,514	4,707	1,733	1,696	4,899
.....value..	4.2	3.1	10.2	3.7	4.1	11.1
Lubricating oils.....value..	14.4	13.7	40.3	17.9	11.8	42.0
Animal and vegetable oils, fats, and waxes.....value..	32.9	29.4	91.0	53.4	34.8	115.7
Tallow, inedible, and grease, except wool grease and choice white grease.....1,000 lb..	145,834	137,614	422,087	164,816	173,439	430,417
.....value..	12.8	11.0	35.8	15.2	15.6	38.1
Soybean oil, crude and refined.....1,000 lb..	71,141	68,865	202,757	153,226	72,688	295,601
.....value..	11.0	10.5	30.5	21.4	9.5	40.2
Cottonseed oil, crude and refined...1,000 lb..	37,657	30,120	107,596	65,628	50,496	186,385
.....value..	4.9	4.1	13.8	9.9	7.1	25.8
Chemicals.....value..	258.0	199.0	631.8	257.1	135.6	501.2
Chemical elements and compounds.....value..	100.3	75.6	238.3	103.2	53.5	208.8
Organic chemicals.....value..	66.5	53.2	163.0	74.0	38.1	151.3
Inorganic chemicals.....value..	24.9	18.6	61.5	25.1	12.1	50.0
Medicinals and pharmaceutical preparations.....value..	24.9	21.3	64.9	27.6	19.7	58.8
Fertilizers, manufactured.....1,000 s. ton..	448	336	1,001	293	103	557
.....value..	21.3	15.4	45.5	16.3	4.7	29.1
Plastic materials.....1,000 lb..	122,525	108,697	331,555	141,618	58,247	241,971
.....value..	45.9	38.4	122.0	46.6	22.0	83.7
Manufactured goods classified chiefly by materials.....value..	333.1	256.1	849.5	373.8	202.2	717.4
Tires and other miscellaneous rubber articles.....value..	12.7	10.2	32.9	14.7	7.6	26.9
Paper and manufactures, including newsprint.....value..	40.3	31.5	104.5	43.4	20.4	79.9
Container board.....1,000 lb..	148,475	128,618	388,702	196,671	76,598	349,322
.....value..	9.2	7.8	23.8	11.3	4.4	20.4

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MARCH 1966 AND SELECTED PERIODS—Continued

Commodity description and unit of quantity ¹	1966*			1965*		
	March	February	Jan.-March	March	February	Jan.-March
Manufactured goods classified chiefly by materials—Continued						
Textiles (excluding fibers and clothing).....value..	52.0	44.2	136.5	61.4	31.7	114.5
Yarn and thread.....1,000 lb..	11,464	10,122	30,152	14,105	6,523	25,222
.....value..	12.4	11.4	33.1	17.1	7.5	30.2
Cotton fabrics, woven (excluding narrow or special fabrics).....value..	11.1	9.1	28.7	12.8	6.8	24.5
Synthetic fabrics, woven (except narrow woven).....value..	10.6	9.1	28.2	13.0	7.2	24.5
Made-up textile articles, excluding clothing.....value..	6.6	6.1	17.7	7.2	3.2	11.9
Nonmetallic minerals, semi and manufactures (cement, brick, glass, gems, abrasives and refractories, etc.).....value..	33.3	26.6	86.2	31.1	20.6	65.2
Iron and steel (including pig iron and ferroalloys).....value..	51.0	44.6	139.6	71.2	36.9	132.5
Iron and steel mill products.....1,000 lb..	354,306	339,797	1,064,545	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....value..	49.5	43.5	135.7	69.3	35.0	127.8
Wire rods, bars, structurals, and piling.....1,000 lb..	40,380	42,236	117,824	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....value..	4.5	4.2	13.1	8.2	5.3	17.6
Universals, plates (including tinplate), and sheets.....1,000 lb..	114,657	140,520	366,365	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....value..	12.0	14.2	38.5	20.5	12.1	38.3
Tubes, pipes, and fittings.....1,000 lb..	83,444	55,488	190,773	87,490	28,306	138,765
.....value..	18.1	13.7	44.3	17.7	6.7	29.9
Nonferrous base metals (excluding ore and scrap uranium and silver) ⁴1,000 lb..	147,589	89,818	344,987	197,182	107,139	381,919
.....value..	68.3	38.2	152.2	74.1	39.5	141.6
Copper and alloys - blister, refined, and mill shapes.....1,000 lb..	80,609	41,397	165,829	103,721	55,427	191,289
.....value..	41.1	20.6	83.1	43.2	21.8	77.6
Aluminum and alloys—primary and mill shapes.....1,000 lb..	55,993	40,457	147,986	71,727	43,454	153,474
.....value..	16.6	11.9	43.2	18.7	12.0	41.6
Metal manufactures, n.e.c. (containers; wire cable and fencing; nails, nuts, and bolts; tools, cutlery, and houseware; etc.).....value..	55.3	44.6	145.9	58.6	32.4	115.2
Finished structural parts and structures, n.e.c.....value..	7.4	6.3	19.6	9.8	4.0	16.2
Tools for use in the hand or in machines.....value..	14.9	12.2	40.3	15.1	8.3	29.7
Machinery and transport equipment.....value..	1,043.7	875.9	2,717.6	1,089.6	620.3	2,216.6
Machinery (electric and nonelectric)...value..	709.2	545.6	1,799.5	719.4	399.5	1,439.1
Machinery, other than electric (including aircraft engines).....value..	532.5	411.8	1,351.0	545.9	301.6	1,062.3
Power generating machinery (including engines).....value..	91.2	82.7	233.7	81.7	53.2	168.7
Aircraft engines, including missile turbines and parts.....value..	26.8	22.7	70.5	25.3	16.3	53.6
Aircraft engines, including missile turbines.....value..	9.9	8.5	25.9	6.7	5.2	15.7
Aircraft engines, military, including missile turbines..value..	3.6	1.6	6.5	2.5	2.8	7.5
Non-military aircraft engines.....value..	6.3	6.9	19.4	4.2	2.4	8.3
Aircraft engine parts and accessories.....value..	16.9	14.3	44.6	18.6	11.2	37.9
Automotive engines.....number..	24,965	29,882	82,060	10,558	8,565	24,697
.....value..	6.8	8.3	22.9	4.3	3.2	10.2

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U.S. EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE BY SELECTED SCHEDULE B COMMODITY GROUPINGS AND PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES

MARCH 1966 AND SELECTED PERIODS—Continued

Commodity description and unit of quantity ¹	1966*			1965*		
	March	February	Jan.-Mar.	March	February	Jan.-Mar.
Machinery and transport equipment—Continued						
Machinery (electric and nonelectric)—Continued						
Machinery, other than electric (including aircraft engines)—Continued						
Power generating machinery (including engines)—Continued						
Automotive engine parts.....value..	10.7	9.9	23.6	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Other power generating machinery and parts.....value..	64.4	60.0	163.2	56.4	36.8	115.1
Agricultural machinery and parts and tractors (excluding tractor parts).....value..	69.5	49.5	167.6	78.1	46.9	153.6
Tractors, tracklaying, wheel type (except industrial type).....value..	43.0	29.0	102.1	51.7	30.2	99.8
Contractors' wheel tractors....value..	9.3	4.0	15.5	5.6	3.3	10.6
Office machinery and computers....value..	53.2	40.4	138.9	45.6	29.6	103.9
Electronic computers and parts (except tape).....value..	26.5	19.6	70.1	19.7	13.4	48.5
Metalworking machinery (including metalworking machine tools).....value..	31.9	22.6	78.9	34.9	24.8	73.0
Metal-cutting machine tools.....number..	3,074	2,726	8,011	3,758	1,903	7,292
.....value..	14.2	10.1	34.3	14.5	14.0	33.8
Metal-forming machine tools.....value..	6.2	4.7	17.5	7.9	5.7	16.7
Metalworking machinery, n.e.c....value..	11.4	7.8	27.1	12.5	5.1	22.5
Textile, sewing, and leather machinery.....value..	22.6	17.3	57.4	22.5	11.3	41.1
Machines for special industries, n.e.c., and parts (excluding construction).....value..	19.2	15.6	52.7	20.9	13.0	41.4
Construction, excavating, and mining machines and related machinery and parts (excluding contractors' wheel type tractors but including industrial type).....value..	92.8	70.8	233.7	103.9	47.0	187.5
Construction, maintenance, excavating and leveling machines.....value..	32.6	24.0	76.8	35.1	17.8	66.5
Coal-cutting, mining, and well-drilling machines.....value..	11.3	9.6	31.5	15.0	4.2	25.5
Industrial trucks, tractors, portable elevators, and parts.....value..	6.4	4.6	16.9	7.2	3.9	13.5
Other nonelectric machinery, appliances, and machine parts, n.e.c.....value..	152.0	112.9	388.2	158.3	75.8	293.0
Pumps for liquids, parts and attachments.....value..	15.3	11.8	45.6	16.4	6.9	28.4
Air and gas compressors and parts.....value..	9.0	6.3	23.7	10.0	6.1	20.3
Centrifuges, filtering, and purifying machines for liquids, air, and gases, and parts.....value..	7.4	5.2	19.3	8.4	3.6	16.9
Air-conditioning and refrigerating equipment.....value..	26.3	19.9	62.0	26.6	9.4	43.6
Parts and accessories for metalworking machine tools.....value..	6.8	4.6	16.8	6.9	3.6	12.4
Electric machinery, apparatus and appliances.....value..	176.7	133.8	448.5	173.6	97.9	376.8
Electric power apparatus and switchgear.....value..	47.3	33.7	120.5	52.4	22.3	123.1
Generators.....value..	13.2	7.2	29.6	18.2	5.1	53.3
Transforming, converting, and transmission apparatus.....value..	11.4	9.4	33.8	13.3	5.9	25.0
Radio, TV, and other telecommunications equipment.....value..	35.7	27.0	88.3	34.8	23.3	75.5
Household electrical appliances....value..	12.2	9.6	29.9	13.3	6.3	24.1
Transport equipment.....value..	334.5	330.3	918.1	370.2	220.8	777.5
Railway vehicles and parts.....value..	8.1	6.1	20.3	19.2	4.3	33.2

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MARCH 1966 AND SELECTED PERIODS—Continued

Commodity description and unit of quantity ¹	1966*			1965*		
	March	February	Jan.-Mar.	March	February	Jan.-Mar.
Machinery and transportation equipment—Continued						
Transport equipment—Continued						
Automobile and other road motor vehicles and parts (parts exclude tires, engines, and electrical parts).....value..	217.1	189.4	572.1	229.0	130.9	462.1
Trucks and buses, commercial, complete, new.....value..	21.9	18.1	57.4	22.3	10.5	38.1
Trucks, commercial, unassembled, new.....value..	7.5	9.4	24.2	14.8	6.8	26.7
Military trucks and buses and special purpose military vehicles, new or used, excluding tanks and military passenger cars.....value..	13.3	5.6	20.9	4.8	2.3	16.0
Passenger cars, assembled, new, excluding military.....number..	13,289	9,952	34,052	15,077	7,496	26,321
Passenger cars, assembled, new, excluding military.....value..	32.5	24.2	84.4	37.1	18.6	66.1
Passenger cars, unassembled, new, excluding military.....value..	10.9	12.5	33.3	17.2	13.2	37.5
Passenger car and truck parts and accessories, new, for replacement.....value..	24.6	30.9	64.5	29.1	15.8	55.8
Passenger car and truck parts and accessories, new, for assembly.....value..	68.7	60.2	190.8	62.5	42.1	142.2
Parts and accessories for wheel and track laying tractors, and contractors' off-highway wheel tractors.....value..	22.6	16.8	59.1	25.7	14.9	51.7
Aircraft and parts (parts excluding tires, engines, and electrical parts).....value..	97.8	121.5	290.7	115.7	76.5	263.2
Commercial aircraft complete, new and used.....value..	68.9	47.0	147.6	57.2	23.1	110.3
Military aircraft, complete, new and used.....value..	2.3	50.8	68.1	25.6	29.1	74.4
Parts and accessories for commercial and military aircraft.....value..	26.7	23.7	75.0	32.9	24.3	78.6
Ships and boats.....value..	8.4	8.1	24.5	2.7	7.0	11.5
Warships of all kinds.....value..	0.1	0.1	0.3	(2)	5.6	6.3
Other ships and boats.....value..	8.3	8.0	24.2	2.7	1.4	5.3
Miscellaneous manufactured articles.....value..	187.6	137.1	451.0	166.9	94.3	330.6
Plumbing, heating, and lighting fixtures.....value..	5.3	4.2	12.9	5.5	2.4	10.0
Furniture.....value..	4.3	3.1	10.8	4.0	2.3	8.3
Clothing (excluding footwear).....value..	18.3	16.4	46.2	19.9	7.5	33.7
Scientific, medical, optical, photographic, and measuring and controlling instruments.....value..	54.0	40.4	134.2	47.4	31.2	102.1
Cameras, still and motion picture.....value..	5.1	4.2	13.1	2.1	1.1	3.9
Sighting and fire control equipment.....value..	0.3	0.2	0.6	0.4	0.4	1.0
Other scientific, medical, optical, photographic, and measuring and controlling instruments.....value..	48.6	36.0	120.5	44.9	29.6	97.2
Photographic supplies (sensitized film, paper, etc.).....value..	15.3	11.9	36.9	15.5	7.3	27.3
Musical instruments and parts, including phonographs, tape recorders, phonograph records, etc.....value..	14.9	10.6	36.9	10.9	6.9	23.1
Books, periodicals, and other printed matter.....value..	24.1	18.0	60.2	23.8	13.0	47.5
Miscellaneous plastic articles.....value..	7.4	6.6	19.7	7.0	4.0	13.9
Toys, sporting goods, and amusement equipment.....value..	9.4	6.5	22.1	8.1	4.2	14.8
Office cabinets and files and stationery supplies.....value..	4.1	3.1	10.0	5.0	2.7	9.4
Jewelry, watches and clocks.....value..	9.7	7.1	22.5	7.7	3.3	14.2

See footnotes at end of table.

U.S. EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE BY SELECTED SCHEDULE B COMMODITY GROUPINGS AND PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES

MARCH 1966 AND SELECTED PERIODS—Continued

Commodity description and unit of quantity ¹	1966*			1965*		
	March	February	Jan.-March	March	February	Jan.-March
Commodities and transactions not classified according to kind.....value..	103.8	67.4	218.3	109.6	51.9	220.1
Tanks, armored vehicles, artillery weapons, machine guns, small arms, missiles, rockets, ammunition and parts.....value..	62.3	53.4	137.0	85.7	34.5	151.3
Military apparel and footwear.....value..	7.5	4.0	11.6	4.6	2.6	10.4
Miscellaneous goods for relief or charity.....value..	1.9	1.5	5.4	1.9	0.9	3.3
Low-value shipments.....value..	30.4	7.1	59.7	16.0	12.9	51.6
PART III--Other Selected Summary Commodity Groupings (Consolidation of items dispersed among two or more Schedule B Sections in Part II.)						
Fats, oils, oil seeds (including butter; excluding commodities exported for relief or charity by individuals or private agencies).....value..	101.3	83.1	269.9	140.2	78.4	262.4
Fertilizers, insecticides, pesticides, etc.value..	49.4	33.4	108.1	38.7	15.7	69.0
Chemical insecticides, pesticides, germicides, etc. (agricultural, household, etc.).....1,000 lb..	45,144	24,492	92,675	35,115	17,441	63,446
value..	21.9	11.1	43.4	16.7	7.5	27.5
Fertilizers, crude and manufactured.....1,000 s. ton..	1,135	1,146	3,148	942	518	1,988
value..	27.5	22.3	64.7	22.0	8.3	41.5
Nonferrous metals - crude, blister, refined, mill shapes, and scrap (excluding uranium).....value..	86.3	50.9	193.7	95.3	50.5	181.0
Copper and alloys.....1,000 lb..	96,035	59,466	212,198	134,665	68,812	248,013
value..	46.9	27.0	99.2	53.1	26.3	96.1
Aluminum and alloys.....1,000 lb..	62,035	46,041	165,548	81,030	47,427	169,737
value..	17.6	12.9	46.1	20.2	12.6	44.3

* See footnote 2 on front page of this report.

- Represents zero.

NA Comparable data for other periods shown not available. See Special Notice on page 8 of the January 1966 issue of this report.

N.E.C. Not elsewhere classified.

¹ Based on commodity classifications listed in the 1965 edition of Schedule B, Statistical Classification of Domestic and Foreign Commodities Exported from the United States, as amended. A "Supplement" showing the Schedule B commodities included in the commodity groupings and principal commodities shown in this report is available on request to the Bureau of the Census, Washington, D.C., 20233.

² Special Category commodities comprise a selected list of Schedule B classifications for which country of destination and district of exportation detail cannot be shown in published export reports because of security reasons. Data on exports of Special Category commodities are presented in this report under their appropriate Schedule B section and principal commodity groupings. For further information and a complete list of the Special Category commodities, see the January 1965 issue of Report FT 410.

³ Includes ores of base metals customarily used as ferroalloying materials: manganese, chromium, tungsten, titanium, molybdenum, vanadium, zirconium, etc.

⁴ Includes base metals customarily used as ferroalloying materials, but not yet processed into ferroalloys. See footnote 3 above.

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